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APPLICANT: James C.Y. Chow GROUP: 3743

SERIAL NO.: 10/086,154 EXAMINER: Fadi H. Dahbour

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FOR: CARPAL TUNNEL SPLINT FOR WEAR DURING NON-WORKING
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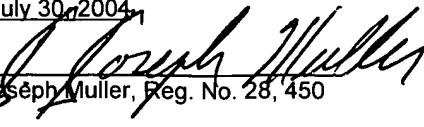
AMENDMENT B

In response to the Office Action mailed July 26, 2004, please enter the following amendments into the record of the above-referenced patent application and accept the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

An amendment in the above-identified application in response to the Office Action filed July 26, 2004;

A Petition For Extension of Time for months.

No additional fee is required.

Small Entity Status:

Applicant claims small entity status.

Applicant DOES NOT claim small entity status.

The fee has been calculated as shown:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate – Other Than A Small Entity	Rate – Small Entity	Additional Fee
Total Claims	6 -	20 =	0	\$18.00	\$9.00	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	1 -	3 =	0	\$86.00	\$43.00	\$0.00

Total Additional Fee: \$0.00

A check in the amount of \$ is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit overpayment under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account 162201. *Duplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.*


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